



POLICE REVIEW & ADVISORY BOARD

A Department of the City of Cambridge, Massachusetts

Minutes from the meeting of April 30, 2014

Attending: Mertin Betts (Chair), Ann Coyne, Alexandra Donovan, Laurance Kimbrough, Lucy Murray-Brown

City Staff Present: Executive Secretary Brian Corr, Deputy Superintendent Steve DeMarco, Project & Outreach Coordinator, V. Muna Kangsen

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 PM.

Review and approval of Minutes

The Board reviewed minutes from the March 26, 2014 meeting and approved them unanimously on a motion from Board Member Coyne, seconded by Board Member Murray-Brown.

Executive Secretary's Report

NACOLE's annual conference will take place in September 2014 in Kansas City, MO. Board Members should decide who among them will be attending the conference. The Keynote Speaker for the 2014 conference will be Maggie Delone who is the Executive Director of the Innocence Project. NACOLE recently hired two employees.

Outreach Report

Project & Outreach Coordinator Kangsen visited with the East Cambridge Planning Team on April 23 to speak about the work of the Police Review & Advisory Board and the process of filing complaints. Kangsen invited board members to join him at Hoops 'N' Health on June 14.

Professional Standards Unit Report

Deputy DeMarco discussed court decisions regarding police practices. DeMarco said he will be happy to help Board Members schedule a walk or ride along with the Cambridge Police Department.

The meeting adjourned at 7:05 PM after reconvening in open session.